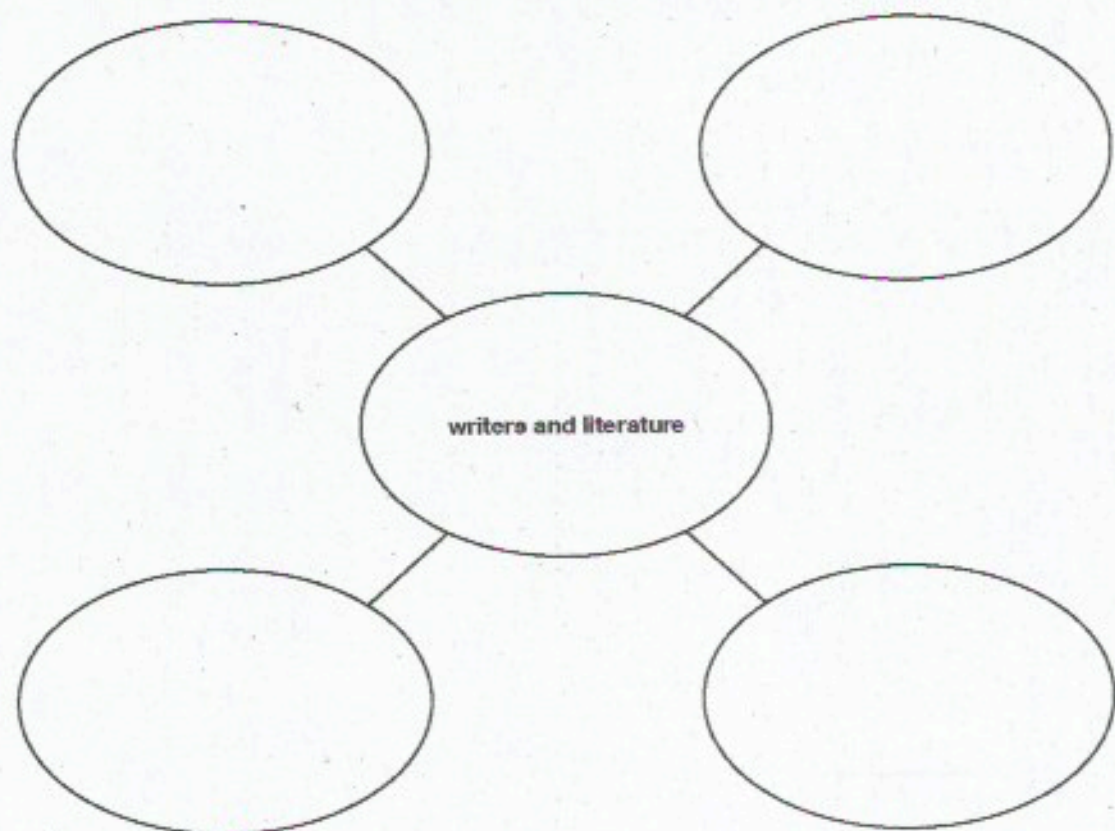


## Nobel Prize Acceptance Speech, 1950

William Faulkner

**ANALYZING AN AUTHOR'S BELIEFS** As you read, use a web like the one below to record Faulkner's statements about writers and literature.



**AFTER YOU READ** Review the information in your web, and think about how the statements relate to one another. Draw lines to connect statements that convey similar ideas or reveal a pattern. Then, in a paragraph, sum up Faulkner's beliefs about writers and writing. Use a separate sheet of paper if necessary.

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